

No. 4688 號八十八百八千四第 日十二月六年酉癸治同 HONGKONG, MONDAY, 14th JULY, 1873. 一拜禮 號四十七月七英 港香 [PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH.]

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MELBOURNE.....		Victory
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Shippers are particularly requested to note
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Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation
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T. A. HARRIS,
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ALEXANDRA TERRACE
Hongkong, 6th May, 1873.

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For Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, and Haidian.—Thursday, the 17th inst., at 2.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET."
The English Continent Packet, "*DEBBY*," will be despatched with the usual Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 18th inst., at noon.
Money Orders on any of the Money Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted by the Post-Office until 5 P.M. on the 18th inst.
The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 18th inst.
Letters, &c., may be posted during the night till half past five for their reception.
Letters for registration will be received until 10 A.M. on the 19th inst.
Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 19th inst., without late fee.
Letters addressed to the Post-Office on the 19th inst., will not be forwarded unless the Letter contains 18 cents as well as the postage is prepaid.
The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M. for Newspapers, Books, or Letters 10 A.M. on the 19th inst.
Late Letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom & Ireland, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet until 11.30 P.M. on the day of sailing, on payment of a Late Fee of 48 cents each in addition to the postage.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 28th July, 1873.

It is hereby notified that the postage chargeable upon Post Letters addressed to France will henceforward be 12 cents per quarter ounce hereforward by French Mail Packet, and 18 cents per quarter ounce when forwarded by British Mail Packet.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable hereafter on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French Mail Packet, will be 15 cents each, when forwarded by British Packet via Brindisi.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 29th April, 1872.

It is hereby notified, that henceforward the postage on Letters addressed to Batavia, when forwarded by French Mail Packet, will be 15 cents per half-ounce, prepayment compulsory.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster-General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 13th December, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Newfoundland, which must be paid in advance, will be as follows—
When forwarded via } 34 cents each half-ounce.
Brindisi..... }
When forwarded via } 34 " " "
Marseilles..... }
When forwarded via } 28 " " "
Southampton..... }
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 22d February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that, henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 15 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge delivery.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 22d February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 34 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge delivery.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 22d February, 1873.

It is hereby notified for general information at henceforward the Postage on Letters addressed to Russia, when marked to be forwarded via Southampton, will be reduced to 40 cents half-ounce.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster-General
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 18th September, 1872.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August next, the commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows, —
On sums not exceeding \$2 18 cts.
Above \$2 and not exceeding \$5 26 " "
Above \$5 and not exceeding \$7 54 " "
Above \$7 and not exceeding £10 7s
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified that a line of British Cable Carrying Company has been established between Aden and Zanzibar, which, with connecting lines, will afford a regular means of communication of correspondence from Hongkong for foreign ports on the East African Coast, as well as for Natal and the Cape Colony, St. Helena, and Australia, and that henceforward the postage, which must be paid in advance, on letters addressed to Zanzibar, Mosambique, Delagoa Bay, Natal, the Cape of Good Hope, and Amsterdam, will be 20 cents for each half-ounce, newspapers 2 cents each.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 1st May, 1873.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, under consideration it has been necessary to make Regulation known to the Public, and to state that any letters or packets containing articles sent through the Post are liable, in their contents, to be forfeited.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873.

Arrangements having been made under the new Mails for London arriving at Suva from Suva by Private Ships, will be forwarded to the Colonies via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which will be paid in advance, on letters forwarded to Suva, will be as follows—
Letters..... 24 cents per half ounce.
Newspapers..... 8 " each.
Packets exceeding 1 lb 10 cents.
Books and 2 " 6 "
Letters..... 4 " 13 "
Every additional 4 " 12 "
F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General,
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 10th December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that arrangements have been completed under which correspondence directed to Hongkong can be forwarded to Nankin, by the States-Mail Packets, and that Letters to Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong, by the States-Mail Packets, and to Higo via Yokohama, by the States-Mail Packets, and that Letters to Hongkong and places beyond Hongkong,

be forwarded from Nagasaki and other
ports of the United States' Packets via
Yokohama and Yokohama respectively.
The rates of postage chargeable on such
correspondence is four cents for each half-ounce
letter, two cents on each Newspaper, and
one cent on each two ounces of Books and
other Samples of Merchandise, in addition
to the Rates specified in the Table of Rates of
Postage at present in force.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 16th January, 1871.

